FRANCES P. TRUMBULL.

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Mr. GALLINGER, from the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following

ADVERSE REPORT.

[To accompany H. R. 1373.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 1373) granting an increase of pension to Frances P. Trumbull, have

examined the same and report:

Without undertaking to pass upon the merits of this claim, it is sufficient to say that it is now in the hands of the special examiners of the Pension Bureau, and hence can not be entertained by this committee under its rules, which provide that cases pending in the Bureau can not be considered while so pending nor until a period of at least one year has elapsed after rejection.

The bill is therefore reported adversely, with the recommendation

that it be indefinitely postponed.

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